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Two Students Win High Honors



SAMMY CARPENTER



RUTH HOLBROOK

New President and Vice President Will Take Office Tomorrow Night

Student Senate Leaders
Are Sammy Carpenter,
Ruth Holbrook.

Tomorrow night, April 14, Sammy Carpenter will be installed in the Student Senate as the new president of the student body, and Ruth Holbrook will take office as the new vice president. Sammy and Ruth will replace Homer Long and Freddie Davis who have successfully completed a year of efficient management.

After a stalemate at the polls, March 22, Sammy Carpenter emerged victorious at the election, March 24, when he defeated Charles Newton and Bill Elam for the office of presidency.

Campaign Is Vigorous

Following a student convention, March 18, when the five candidates for president and vice president of the Student Senate were named, a vigorous campaign was held on the campus. With candidates of the Greek and Independent organizations competing, enthusiasm for the election was high. Emphasized by signs, balloons, campaign speeches, and pictures of the candidates, the campaign was challenging, as proved by the necessity of the second election to name the president.

During the first election, March 22, Ruth Holbrook was elected vice president by the student body when she defeated Lucille Cockayne. This election also eliminated one of the candidates for the presidency.

President Is From Bolckow

President Carpenter, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Carpenter, Bolckow, is working for a B. S. degree with a major in chemistry and a minor in mathematics. He is a member of various campus organizations in which he takes an active part. Among them are Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity, Dramatics Club, and Alpha Phi Omega. He has held the office of secretary in the latter organization.

Sammy likes to swing a golf club or a tennis racket. He also enjoys football and basketball games.

Vice President Holbrook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Holbrook, Oregon, is working for a B. S. degree in secondary education with a major in commerce and a minor in Spanish. A member of two honorary organizations on the campus, Kappa Delta Pi and Pi Omega Pi, Ruth is also the president of the Delta Sigma Epsilon sorority. She likes volleyball games and especially likes to dance.

Five Representatives Are Sworn Into Senate

Dennis Shell, Frank Johnson, Dorothy Adams, Manley Vance and Betty Jean Martin are the new Senators sworn into office March 10.

Helen Fisher was elected secretary; Robert Guthland, elected treasurer.

Mack Miller asked the cooperation of all Senators in enforcing the restriction that no food or drinks be brought into the Bearcat Den during regular school hours.

Robert Guthland, Fred Davis, and Homer Long were nominated by the Senate to represent the group in the Freshman Orientation meeting. Another will be chosen by Mrs. Gee to represent the Senate.

Red Cross Will Be Here!

Red Cross representatives will be on the campus, April 27, with their Bloodmobile. From 11 a. m. to 5 p. m. on that day, students who are physically able are asked to contribute for the veterans at hospitals in Excelsior Springs and Leavenworth. Members of the Alpha Phi Omega fraternity are soliciting donors.

Maryville Will Have Naval Unit

Building Will Be Rented,
Remodeled to Meet
Needs of Navy.

Mr. Foster Announces Plans

Members of Electronic Warfare
Unit Will Study Fire Control
Radio, Radar, Sonar.

Maryville is soon to have a Naval Reserve Electronic Warfare unit, according to a recent announcement by Mr. R. P. Foster, College registrar and voluntary Navy recruiter.

Members of the unit will use Navy equipment in studying radio, radar, sonar, and fire control. Permanent ratings in these fields will be given to qualified men.

Navy Installs Radio

Training center for the organization will be a part of the building occupied by the Lloyd Manufacturing Company. The building will be rented by the Navy and remodeled to fit the needs of the reservists. Plans call for extensive improvements of the interior and the installation of a radio antenna mast.

Radio equipment valued at forty to fifty thousand dollars will be installed in the armory. Included will be the following: high frequency transmitter for speech or code; semi-portable transmitter and receiver; portable transmitter and receiver; low frequency receiver; radio direction finder; complete radar set; seven telegraphic typewriters; complete code practice equipment; and tools, test equipment and spare parts for the repair and maintenance of all electronic equipment. More equipment will be added from time to time as needed.

Men Work With Great Lakes

Meetings will be held every Monday evening from 7 to 9. The first few meetings will probably consist of classroom instruction and movies, but as soon as the equipment is ready the men will take turns operating it. At least three radiomen will be handling messages transmitted by the naval radio station at Great Lakes. All men will be qualified for this work as soon as possible. Other men will operate and repair the remaining equipment and give instruction to new men. Attendance at these meetings will be on a voluntary basis. Uniforms will be furnished by the Navy.

All reservists are urged to participate in a two-week active duty training cruise each summer, but this is optional. A man can be called to active duty only at his request or during a national emergency. Men on active duty receive full pay and travel allowance.

Veterans Use Old Rating

Under present law, men on a volunteer status cannot receive pay for attendance at weekly drills, though such service does count toward retirement. No official announcement has been made, but present indications are that after July 1 all volunteers will be paid at the rate of one day's pay for each drill attendance.

Navy veterans can join at their old rate. Veterans of other services, if qualified, may receive equivalent ratings. Non-veterans are also invited to enlist in the Naval Reserve. Veterans and non-veterans who hold FCC amateur radio operator licenses can qualify for radioman ratings by passing an examination covering the military requirements for petty officers.

Equipment May Help in Emergency
Radio transmitters and receivers will be available at all times for use by reservists who hold amateur operator licenses, and the men will be urged to take advantage of this opportunity to increase their skill as operators and technicians. Radio equipment and volunteer operators will also be made available in any emergency where radio communication is required.

Anyone interested in participating in this activity should contact Mr. Foster as soon as possible.

Horace Mann Will Hold Parents' Night, April 21

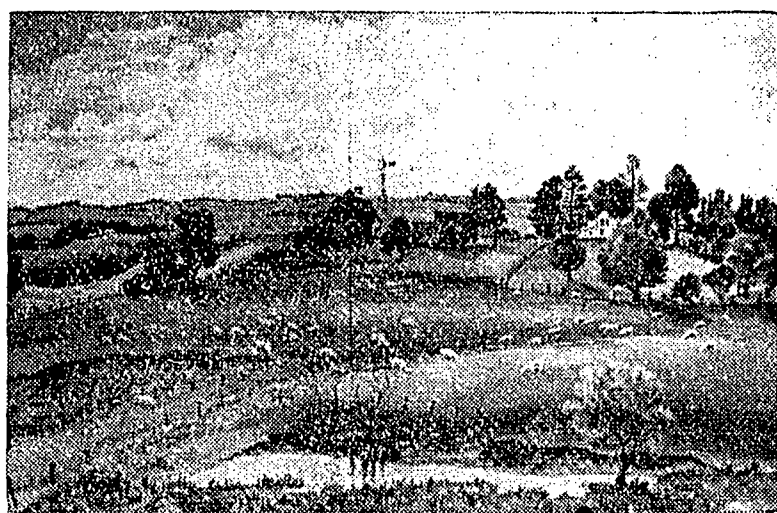
Horace Mann laboratory school will observe its twelfth annual Parents' Night on April 21. The event is being planned by the student council and faculty.

Events of the evening will be similar to those of previous years. The Horace Mann building will be open so that parents of the students may see the exhibits by the various departments. At 8:15 a program will be presented in the College auditorium. Later, refreshments will be served in Room 113 at the Administration building.

April 25!

High School Seniors! April 25 is your day to visit and inspect the College. Campus clubs and organizations will entertain you. New sights will interest you. Make it a date!

College Presents Art Exhibit



SHEEP PASTURE (On Route 71) by ADOLF DEHN.—Missouri pastures of gently undulating land, neat small farmhouse, big red barn, grazing stock is an integral part of the landscape from the rich prairies which roll on over the border into Iowa. . . . "Great pastoral wealth" was promised to immigrants and settlers in a guide book published in 1838, and the promise came true.

An exhibit of original paintings entitled "Missouri, the Heart of the Nation," depicting the natural beauties, the industrial activities, and the cultural characteristics of the state are on display at the College, Monday through Saturday, in the Administration building, until April 25.

Dr. Jones has arranged for the exhibit to be shown to the public from 2 p. m. to 6 p. m. on Sundays, April 17 and 24, as well as during the week.

The pictures were painted on commission of Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney, Inc., St. Louis, by fourteen leading artists of the United States, five of whom are Missourians. The scenes painted come as near local communities as St. Joseph and Kansas City. One is a farm scene believed to have been painted between Maryville and the Iowa line.

"It is our hope," says Dr. J. W. Jones, president of the College, in speaking of the exhibit, "that visitors on the campus will see and enjoy the pictures and that they will carry our invitation to others to see the exhibit. It is an opportunity that does not come often to the people of Northwest Missouri to see such a large collection of original paintings by good artists and at the same time see their state as artists see it."

About one hundred pictures, mostly oil paintings, are in the collection. The fine collection of original paintings owned by the College is also on display. This collection, though featured while the loan exhibit is here, may be seen at any time in Room 207 of the Administration building.

Two Presidents Emeritus Visit Arkansas Colleges

President Emeritus Uel W. Lamkin and President Emeritus Walter P. Morgan, McComb, Illinois, went to Arkansas, April 9, to visit colleges and universities for the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education.

President Emeritus Lamkin and President Emeritus Morgan visited Conway and Arkadelphia and the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville. They also went to Little Rock to meet with the State Board of Education and to Pine Bluff to visit the school for negroes.

Spring Seminars Feature Standards

Students Choose Program
Committee to Plan
Quarter's Work.

The first student seminar of the spring quarter was held Thursday afternoon, March 17. At this meeting the students chose Frances Frazier, Helen Pitts, David Arthur, Philip Denver, Louis La Bouff and Donald McComb to serve on the program committee. Helen Pitts will serve as chairman of the group.

On March 24 Mr. Everett W. Brown, director of field service, spoke to the students on the subject, "How to Apply for a Job and How to Get a Job." His talk was based on three main ideas: what to do to get ready for a job, how to get the job, and what to do after you get the job.

Mr. Brown urged the students to register at the Placement Bureau so that the bureau can help them find the teaching positions which they desire.

The Student Seminar of March 31 was an open discussion with Miss Rachel Taul, Miss Dorthie Hall, Mr. John Taylor and Dean M. C. Cunningham serving as advisers. Questions were asked and discussed concerning the standards of a teacher, discipline problems and how to cope with them, federal aid to education, the relationship of students and the teacher, and the relationship of the teacher to people in the community.

At the close of the discussion period, President J. W. Jones gave a short talk on student teaching. He said it is the aim of the College to give to the student teacher an opportunity to observe superior teaching, an opportunity to participate in the teaching program and a gradual induction into the taking over of a class. In conclusion President Jones said that a good teacher must know children, know the subject, and be able to combine the two.

Dr. Hake Is in Hospital
Dr. J. W. Hake, chairman of the physical science department, has been ill for several weeks. He is in the St. Francis Hospital, Maryville.

Shrew Becomes Tame in Big Play

Shakespearean Characters
Live Again, Prepare
Auditorium Visit.

Mr. Robert Gee Directs

Scenes Around Water Fountain
Will Surprise and Delight
With Boisterous Action.

The shrew grows tamer, the hair grows longer, and the cast grows weaker, but "hap what hap may" on April 28 and 29, seventeen actors and actresses will take their places on the College stage in their presentation of Shakespeare's "Taming of the Shrew."

Mr. Robert F. Gee, director of the play, has ordered the costumes, with which the cast will have a week to work. The color and gaiety of the robes will add greatly to the story of boisterous love and boisterous action.

Play Is a Challenge

Many obstacles have presented themselves during the rehearsal period. The play in itself is a challenge to the director and the cast in that it involves the telling of a story in seventeenth century language to a twentieth century audience.

One thing that the audience must learn is that they can expect anything at any time. Characters come in and out of the play with speeches ranging from long Latin greetings to a slang approaching modern usage. Also there are times when a character will stand on stage for scene after scene just for the triumphal recognition of one line.

Fountain Is Important

An important property in the play is a fountain, placed in the center of the stage. It is almost as much a part of the play as the actors themselves. People stand on it, jump over it, sit on it, and make love on it. The characters rant, rave, and run over the stage, but the fountain remains, ready for anything.

Too many people have the wrong conception of Shakespeare and his plays. There is nothing stuffy or serious about "The Taming of the Shrew." It is a play in which the actors enjoy telling their story. The fact that the play is written in poetry does not mean that it is an extension of an English assignment; it is a light, careful interpretation of a life and language, now a part of history.

We Learn

In the fourth grade we learn that Shakespeare lived, in the eighth grade we learn that he is boring, in high school we learn that he is dead, but in college we finally realize that maybe the "old boy" had something after all.

Now there are but two more short weeks in which the cast can prepare. What has been four months of gruelling experiences, however, will be about two and one-half hours of enjoyment for the audience.

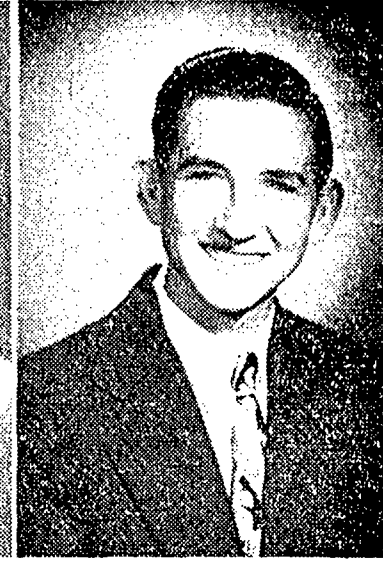
Band Will Have New Uniforms

Mr. John L. Smay, acting head of the music department, has announced that members of the Board of Regents have authorized the purchase of new uniforms for the College band. The new uniforms are to be ordered as soon as possible and will be available for the fall quarter.

Yearbook Officials Are Chosen



JEWELL RICE



RICHARD GORDON

Jewell Rice and Richard Gordon Will Plan College 'Tower' for 1950

Clean-Up Day!

One day will be given for spring cleaning on this campus, according to Bob Mann, chairman of the Senate committee for Clean-up Day. The time left after the cleaning will be filled with a picnic and dance.

Bob stresses the fact that the only way such a day can be a success is to have the cooperation of all students and organizations in cleaning their assigned areas of the campus.

Such a plan sponsored by the Student Senate may become an annual day in the spring as Walkout Day is in the fall. The help of everyone is needed to make it a success.

Chillicothe Alumni Have Dinner Meeting

Fifty-Seven Attend; Next
Year's Chairman Will
Be Mack Ruth.

On April 1, 1949, a Northwest Missouri State Teachers College alumni dinner was held at the Strand Hotel in Chillicothe. This was the first annual meeting in the eastern section of the Northwest Missouri district, and Mr. Howard Leach, president of the Alumni Association, did much to promote the event.

Mr. Mack Ruth of Chillicothe was chosen by the new organization to serve as chairman for the coming year.

Fifty-seven alumni and guests, including a member of the Board of Regents, Mr. A. B. Kammerer, attended the dinner. From Chillicothe were Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. June Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Boucher, Mr. and Mrs. George Somerville, Mr. and Mrs. William Stillwell, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Meek, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Richeson, Mr. and Mrs. Billy S. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kammerer, Mrs. Joel N. Grubb, Miss Ruth Pultz, Miss Viola Anderson, Miss Ruth Linville, Miss Eloise Harriman, Miss Bernice Smith, Mr. R. E. Houston, Mr. E. W. Mansfield, Mr. Howard Leach, Mr. R. Warren Roberts, and Mr. George Sidden.

Others present were Mr. Charles H. Shaffner, Mr. John S. Wright and Mr. J. F. Collings of Princeton; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Neele and Mr. Mitchell Dunham of Hamilton; Mr. N. K. James of Lock Springs; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Russell, Miss Helen Sipes and Mr. Don Sipes of Trenton; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Teasley and Mr. Vance Riffle of Cameron and Mr. Earl Gray of Brookfield.

Administration and faculty members of the College who attended were President J. W. Jones, Dean M. C. Cunningham, Mr. Everett W. Brown, Coach E. A. Davis, Mr. John L. Smay, Miss Mary E. Keith, Miss Dorthie C. Hall, Miss Violeta Hunter, Mr. David W. Crozier, Coach Ryland Milner and Dean Lon Willson.

President Truman Chooses Mr. Lamkin for West Point

Dr. Uel W. Lamkin, president emeritus of the College, has received his commission as a member of the board of visitors of the United States Military Academy at West Point. The appointment was made by President Truman and co-signed by Dean Acheson, secretary of state. Dr. Lamkin says that the board will visit West Point the last week in April.

The board is composed of six appointed by the president, four senators and five representatives. The senate group is headed by Sen. Tydings and the house group headed by Rep. Vinson of the senate and house military committees, respectively.

Dr. Lamkin is the only Missourian on the board of visitors.

Supervising Students Will Choose Theme, Start Work on Annual.

Mr. Howard Ringold, sponsor of the Tower, has announced that the editor and business manager for the next yearbook have been selected. The editor is Jewell Rice, a sophomore from Maryville; the business manager is Richard Lee Gordon from Hopkins.

The policy of the Tower committee in electing the editor is to appoint a student who has shown ability by working on the yearbook staff. The committee is composed of a business adviser, Mr. Ringold, and literary adviser, Miss Dorthie C. Hall, appointed by President J. W. Jones. Others on the committee are Homer Long, president of the Student Senate; Paul Moyer, president of the Junior Class; Joyce Wehrli, president of the Sophomore Class; Helen Fisher and David Arthur, editor and business manager of this year's Tower; and John Parham and Jack Summers, editor and business manager of last year's Tower.

Theme Will Be Selected

Editor Jewell Rice and Business Manager Richard Gordon will choose the remainder of the staff with the approval of Mr. Ringold. It is expected that during this quarter the editor and business manager will select the theme and make plans for next year's Tower. This action will make it possible for the Tower to be assembled early next year.

Jewell was art editor of the "49er" Tower this year. He was a member of the Northwest Missourian staff during his freshman year. He is working toward a B. S. degree in secondary education with a major in fine arts and a minor in French.

Editor Served in Korea

Jewell, a member of the Alpha Phi Omega service fraternity, served in the army in Korea during the war. In leisure hours he likes to hunt and to fish.

Richard is working for a B. S. degree in secondary education with a major in commerce. He likes to play basketball and enjoys corresponding with a friend in Southern Rhodesia, South Africa. Dick was valedictorian of his class in high school and student council president.

Horace Mann Wins High Ratings in Three Events

More than three thousand high school students attended the spring contests held at the College last Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, in music, commerce, speech and dramatics. Students or groups of students who received Rating I will go to Columbia to enter the state contests.

Between the highly competitive contests in which they participated, students surveyed the campus and inspected the College buildings. Many of the visiting students plan to attend the College after graduation from the local high schools.

Results from the contest show that Horace Mann, the College laboratory school, has three groups certified to enter the state contests, having received Rating I. In music the Girls Glee Club and Girls Quartette will go to Columbia, April 30. In dramatics, the play "Undertow" is certified to enter on May 6 or 7.

Five Hundred Attend Military Ball, April 2

Colorful decorations in a military theme and the sweet music of Lee Barron and his orchestra combined to make a success of the first Military Ball, held April 2, in the main gymnasium.

Approximately five hundred guests were present. Plans are already underway for a similar, but bigger and better, ball next year.



Students Get Heads Together Over Shakespeare

Preparing for their parts in "The Taming of the Shrew," reading counterclockwise beginning slightly to the left of 12, the members of the cast are Gremio, Bill Elam; Bianca, Betty Hudson; Bloncella and first servant, Bruce Walkup; Petruchio, Charles Newton; and Vincentio, Wayne Richards. Close to 6 is Tranio, Verlin Tompkins. Continuing counterclockwise are Katherine, Carolea Pritchard; Pedant, and second servant, Jim Hill; Hortensio, Bob Lister; Lucentio, Monty Pinner; and Baptista, Jim Pool. Others in the cast are Gremio, Herbert Awe; Sly and Peter, Jack Delay; Page, Shirley Burton; Hostess, Lou Hazelton; and Curtis and third servant, Jesse Masters.

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THE COLLEGE OATH

"We will never bring disgrace to this, our College, by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the College. We will reverse and obey the College laws and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in others. We will transmit this College to those who come after us, greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us."

INTERNSHIP IS IMPORTANT

In the March issue of The Educational Forum, published monthly by Kappa Delta Pi, is an article by Dr. Clifford L. Bishop, chairman of the education department.

Entitled "The Future of Teacher Internship," Dr. Bishop's article is based on a recent study of internship for teachers. Thirty-six specialists in teacher education, one hundred and seven school supervisors with experience in internship, and a group of fifty-nine representatives of college and universities that had participated in internship for teachers took part in the study. Of this group eighty-three per cent of the institutions, ninety-eight per cent of the school supervisors, and one hundred percent of the specialists believed that it is possible to overcome all difficulties and limitations of internship and believed internship for teachers has a worthwhile future.

Improvements for the present program of internship were suggested by representatives of institutions and by supervisors. The institutions suggested a more careful supervision of interns, the blocking of other required courses, a sufficient staff and personnel, more credit for internship and payment of interns.

Supervisors suggested that the system could be improved by offering varied experiences for the intern at various levels, a longer period of observation, better subject matter knowledge and many others.

The institutions active in this work plan to extend and broaden their programs of internship, and to perfect their present plans.

In conclusion Dr. Bishop says, "Internship as an important contribution to make to teacher preparation—according to the three groups studied, internship can be a success and must be success to broaden the patterns of teacher education and to care for the needs of the prospective teacher—The task ahead is not an easy one but challenging one. It is worthy of careful consideration."

LET'S MAKE IT TRADITIONAL

One day soon, College students may drop their books, forget reports and classes for a day, and stay out doors, listening to the birds sing, feeling the warm sunshine, enjoying the breezes that spring brings. Before you go to sleep—wait a minute! There's not a minute to be wasted!

Under the direction of Robert Mann, chairman of the Senate committee for Clean up Day, work must be done. With the cooperation of all students and organizations on the campus, assigned areas will be cleaned.

Most students enrolled in the College have lived here for nearly a full school term. Most students like the campus to be clean. It is their responsibility to help make it that way.

After the work and cleaning will come relaxation. A picnic will be held in College park with the best of food. Later a dance with the best of music will complete the day.

Sponsored by the Student Senate, Clean-up Day each spring may become an annual tradition. Walkout Day is in the fall. The latter is known for its unusual, yet gay, events from the time the first silvery note of the bell is heard until the time one says "good night." The day is filled with snuke dancing, with frosh going through all kinds of antics, with dancing on street corners, with belt nos and shoe mixups, with sacrifices to the gods of the heart-shaped College pond, with talented students performing at the afternoon stage show, and finally with the evening of dancing.

Will the proposed Clean-up Day become such an annual tradition of the College? Will it be known as the day when students give the campus a "new beauty shop" appearance, and later celebrate its grooming at a picnic and dance? It can become a tradition if each student is responsible for his share in campus improvement. Let's work hard, eat a great deal at the picnic, dance to soft music in the evening, and be proud of our share in making the College campus more beautiful.

—Reva Jo Kerns

Faculty Notes

Miss June Cozine, chairman of the home economics department, was in Lincoln, Nebraska, April 8 and 9. She attended the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the home economics department of the University of Nebraska.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry G. Dildine will go to Rushville, Illinois, during the Easter vacation for a visit with Mrs. Dildine's sister and husband, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Hamman. Dr. and Mrs. Dildine's daughter, Mrs. W. G. Edelmann and her son will also be guests at the Hammans.

Miss Dorthie Hall of the English department talked to the Association for Childhood Education at the Horace Mann high school, April 11. The topic was "Children's Literature." Miss Charles E. Millikan, of the education department, is the speaker of the organization.

Mr. F. B. Houghton, instructor in agriculture, was guest speaker at an annual Future Farmers of America Father and Son banquet at Rock Port, Monday evening, April 4.

Mr. Myril Long, instructor in the physical science department, moved into the property at 807 S. Buchanan, March 23. With him are his wife and two sons, Elvin and Leland, who are attending the Horace Mann school.

Miss Ruth Miller, of the College music department, will attend the Music Educators National Conference in Colorado Springs, Colorado, April 20-23.

Mr. Thomas Plerson and Mr. Donald Sondecke, of the music department, were judges at the music festival in Tarkio, Friday, March 18. Mr. John Smay, acting head of the department, also judged there March 19.

Mr. John S. Taylor, social science instructor, spoke to the Civics section of the 20th Century Club, March 17, on the problems of the youth today. He emphasized the importance of what civic clubs could do in order to create greater opportunities for the youth.

Mrs. Laurence Clark and son, Paul, were in Maryville Sunday visiting Mr. Clark, who has been teaching physical science during the illness of Dr. J. W. Hake, head of the physical science department. Mr. Clark came here from the University of Kansas.

Tuesday, April 5, the first state Student Council Conference was held at Trenton. Twelve students from the Horace Mann high school attended. They were accompanied by Miss Rachel Taul and Principal H. R. Dieterich.

Miss Mattie M. Dykes spent Sunday, March 27, at King City, where she attended a family dinner in honor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Dykes, who celebrated their sixty-third wedding anniversary. The three daughters of the family were present.

The faculty council is having regular weekly meetings at which time they are considering matters to be brought before the faculty in the near future. Members of the faculty council are Dr. Clifford Bishop, Miss Estella Bowman, Mrs. Ramona Canton, Miss Winice Ann Carruth, Miss June Cozine, Mr. F. B. Houghton, Mr. Clifford Kensing, Miss Dora B. Smith, and Mr. John S. Taylor. Dean Cunningham is chairman of the council and Mr. Robert Foster, registrar, is secretary.

Dean M. C. Cunningham and Mr. Everett Brown were in Chillicothe, Tuesday, April 5, attending a Career Day for high school juniors and seniors. Dean Cunningham made the opening address, and Mr. Brown talked to those who wanted to become teachers.

Miss Mattie M. Dykes, of the English department, and Miss Dora B. Smith, of the education department, went Friday afternoon, March 25, to Kansas City where they attended the evening performance of "I Know My Love," starring Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne.

Mr. Lon Wilson, dean of men, was the guest speaker at the annual meeting of the Hopkins Community club, held in the high school auditorium, Monday night, March 24. Mr. Wilson, an ex-teacher and basketball coach, spoke at the meeting honoring members of the basketball and volleyball teams, their coaches, the pep organization and its sponsor.

Miss Helen Johnson, of the commerce department, attended the Business Teachers Clinic at Emporia, Kansas, Friday, March 18. "Business of Living Rather than Business of Making a Living" was the theme for the clinic.

Geers Live in Coffey

Truman Geer, wounded veteran who has been attending the College, has been advised to take a rest because of nervousness. He and his family will live during the summer at Coffey, where he has been able to rent a house. Physically, he is in better shape than at any time since he was wounded by shrapnel in Hurtgen forest, Germany.

Members of Intermediate Club Elect Officers



Officers and members of the Intermediate Club are, back row, left to right, Jo Ann Garner, Nadine Royston, Hazel Dishman and Ethel Benson. Seated, left to right, are Bette McKown, Miss Mary Keith, sponsor, Betty Tlemann, president, Naomi Smith, and Dorothy Porter.

It Is Customary!

When a man wishes to have a date with a woman he should call her at least several hours, preferably several days, before the time of the engagement. It is considered poor taste to ask a woman for a date only a short time in advance.

When a man calls a woman for a date, the invitation should be stated in such a way that it will be equally easy for her to accept or to refuse. It is often well for him to mention the form of entertainment he has in mind. If an engagement has been made some time in advance, the man should call again to avoid any misunderstanding.

It is inexcusable for either the man or the woman to break a date without a very urgent reason. "Trumped up" excuses are seldom believed and thus a reflection is cast upon the truthfulness of the person, as well as upon his consideration for the rights of others.

"Blind dates" are seldom satisfactory and are poor taste. Usually there is a mutual friend who will see that introductions are made before the time for the date. If you have taken a "blind date" and are disappointed, you are honor-bound to see that your companion has an enjoyable time.

A man may ask the woman her wishes, but it is best for him to have some plan in mind for her entertainment. This does not mean that he must always spend money, for many interesting things can be done without a great outlay of money.

A woman should, at all times, be considerate of a man's pocketbook. Few men students are financially able to provide very elaborate or expensive entertainment. A game of cards or some other form of inexpensive entertainment will often make a dull evening into a very interesting one.

Women students may ask a man into their home after a date if they so desire. Consideration for her

house-mother should prevent her from entertaining too frequently. It is important that students introduce their friends to their house-mother or to their parents if they live at home.

Intermediate Club Has Discussion on Recreation

What about recreation for intermediate level children? Phillip Rob and Madeline Mongold, Horace Mann fifth graders, answered this question out to them by a panel from the Intermediate Club on March 15. Their very interesting opinions, likes and dislikes were discussed. It seems they are satisfied with their school activities and have many recreational activities outside of school.

After obtaining ideas from the young students, a general discussion on recreation was held.

Members of the panel were Marilyn Anderson, Bette McKown, Naomi Smith and Elizabeth Frink.

March 29 marked a social meeting for the Intermediate Club. Square dancing provided the entertainment in the Horace Mann gymnasium.

After the square dancing, a business meeting was held. Action is being taken to rewrite the constitution of the club. Election of officers will take place at the next meeting.

Mr. Dieterich Attends Convention in Chicago

Mr. H. R. Dieterich, principal of the Horace Mann laboratory school, represented the College and Horace Mann at a meeting of the North Central Association of colleges and secondary schools in Chicago, March 30 to April 1.

"Education Faces Its Contemporary Problems" was the theme of speeches and discussions. Business aspects were also considered.

They're Talking About . . . by Mann

. . . those lighted columns, a novel product of Gid Jones' constructive mind, and a very effective decorative theme. . . the refreshments, while we're on the subject of the All-Greek Dance, which were also pleasing and different. . . Missouri's scenic wonders, as viewed by a group of prominent artists, on display on the second and third floors of the Administration building. . . Dick Kabel, the Stanley man, and his practical impractical jokes. . . George Haws suffering a sprained ankle as a result of a run-in with a soft drink signboard to the south of town. . .

. . . Manley Vance's publicmindedness: Building a playground in Vet Village so that perhaps a child won't be killed by some reckless driver cruising through the place. At present Manley is searching for discarded playground equipment or other articles that someone might be willing to donate. . .

. . . Everett "Spike Jones" Brown, the most unusual band director that Cameron high school has ever seen, and the band, parts of which were playing different tunes at the same time. . . (make booking arrangements through the Placement Bureau, care of this College.) . . .

. . . Leroy Atkins casting a martial air to his seventh grade social studies group by having them stand at attention for misdemeanors, and the kids slowly realizing that it isn't as much fun as it looks. . .

. . . Some of us wondering if those stakes all over the campus are to be used to mark new roads or for new shrubs that will be planted. . .

. . . Some eager hunter downing pigeons around the buildings, and then letting Vet Village dogs drag them off and deposit them on their respective porches, and a few of the more civic minded wondering whether there isn't some way that the shooting can be stopped. . .

. . . Taking a walk past the Library the other Sunday eve, when the weather was springish, and noticing. . . (We know it couldn't be a night course in biology). . .

. . . the emergence of jeans, sweatshirts, and moccasins as picnic weather peeks around the corner. . .

. . . the smell of wieners roasting over a fire, marshmallows burning into a black lump of sweet, gooey, goodness, and the acrid smell of smoke on hands and clothes for days and days. . .

Jeanne Taylor Enjoys Teaching Experiences

Dr. Harry Dildine, of the social science department, and Mrs. Dildine recently received a letter from Miss Jeanne K. Taylor who is teaching in Maebashi, Japan. Miss Taylor is a graduate of the College, Class of '48.

In her letter Miss Taylor described Maebashi as follows: "Maebashi is in the Tonegawa valley surrounded by beautiful mountains which delight us with their many colors. A few days back there was snow in the mountains and Mount Asoma was gorgeous with its snow cap against a brilliant blue sky."

Miss Taylor wrote that the narcissus in front of the school had budded and that the roses were blooming.

"The boys' school where we are teaching on Fridays," writes Miss Taylor, "is called Nijima Gakuen and is a junior high school of 188 boys. It was just begun last year. We have to leave home at 6:20 a. m. and do not get back until 5 p. m. It is rather awkward to get to, but we want to teach there. I have two seventh grade classes and the eighth."

Four Teachers Attend State Council Meeting

Dr. John Harr, chairman of the social science department, has announced that the State Council for Social Study Teachers met April 8-9, at Columbia. Dr. Harr, Mr. John Taylor, Miss Rachel Taul, and Mr. Leslie White of the College faculty attended.

Dr. Harr is the retiring president of the Council, having served in that capacity for two years. Because of a "lame duck" amendment he had been retained in office for an additional year.

Mr. Taylor was one of the principal speakers at the conference. His talk dealt with the subject of "Youth and the Social Sciences."

The main feature of the Council program was the creation of a model United Nations Assembly for the purpose of amending the charter. Panel discussions on the questions of "Teaching Controversial Issues" and "Using Biography and Historical Novels in Teaching History" were debated.

Nicholas Marinos Gives Talk on Art of Greece

Nicholas Marinos, in a talk on the art of Greece before Miss Olive DeLuce's class in history and appreciation of art, said that the Parthenon is in the only climate it could be in to make it the impressive edifice it is.

With the deep blue Grecian sky framing its broken yet majestic columns on the uppermost peak of the Acropolis, the Parthenon in Athens, Greece, has never been successfully duplicated elsewhere.

In foggy, gloomy London, for example, such a monument would be beautiful but could never equal the real structure, Nicholas explained. To give a picture of the Parthenon, Nicholas said it is three-fourths as long as the Horace Mann building and is perhaps a little taller. When the Parthenon was being constructed and decorated the painters were paid twice the amount paid the architects though the lines are most simple and no unnecessary ornaments are used.

Mrs. Canton Is Judge During Tri-State Contest

Mrs. Ramona Canton, chairman of the speech department, was a judge at the Tri-State contests at the Tarkio high school, Friday, March 18.

Wednesday, March 23, Mrs. Canton acted as judge of the district speech contests for Southwest Iowa. Speakers from twenty schools participated in the contests. Eight associate judges assisted Mrs. Canton.

The Stroller

The Stroller went for a walk the other day just to look at the campus. Beginning down by President Jones' residence, he looked at the crocuses in bloom, purple, yellow, and white.

Coming up the long walk, he saw all the cars around the main building and wondered whether someday Marva Merenghi, Nicki Ann Wohlford, and Ted Francis Butcherus will look at a picture of that scene and say, "Weren't those old '49 Pontiacs and Buicks awful?"

On the left, the Stroller could hardly see the gymnasium because of all the girls and fellows playing tennis. Among them were Patty Asman, Janet Andler, Lloyd Weichinger, Irma Jensen, Joan Miller, and Bill Shettle.

The Stroller looked at the Horace Mann students and understood why Elizabeth DePriest, Earl Shelton, and Roland Gordon stay home and grade papers for Education 190a and 190b. Dave Arthur always waits until 10:30 before he starts making lesson plans. It's later than that for Editor Kerns!

At the quads the Stroller can hear about Gleen Sherry receiving "gifts" through the mail and the Sig Tau pledges plotting to be "required" to kiss the dorm girls as they came in one night recently.

The Stroller walked in the front door of the Administration building to see the bulletin boards that only "Hank" Long reads because he has so many notices to post.

He enjoyed the pictures on second and third floors, especially the one painted of a scene near Maryville. In Room 207 the Stroller was fascinated by the newly painted walls in three shades of rose and the ceiling in blue.

On fourth floor, Mr. Gee, Charles Newton, Bill Elam, Zea Grissinger, Monty Pitner, Betty Hudson, Bev McCowen, and Barbro Bolinder were moving stage scenery, preparing for the Shrew.

Concluding his walk, the Stroller decided that everywhere he looked he saw couples. Among them were Marianne Swanson, Don McComb; Barb Munson, Bob Anderson; Betty "Preacher" Martin, Mack "Bishop" Miller; Norma Jean Thompson, Dale Grout; Delora Reed, Bill Elam; Bev Henderson, "Dunk" Duncan; and Martha Clymens, John Sheil.

So many happy couples caused the Stroller to feel lonely. He strolled down Fourth Street, to Buchanan, and just kept strolling on. . . .

Calendar

April 13, Wednesday
Phi Sigma Epsilon—Rooms 120-121—7:00
Delta Sigma Epsilon—Room 101—7:00-9:00
Sigma Tau Gamma—Den—7:00-9:00
Independent Club—Room 205—7:00-9:00

April 14, Thursday
Alpha Psi Omega—Room 103—7:00-9:00
Track Meet—Peru—Here
Vacation begins—5:00 p. m.

April 15, Friday
Track Meet
Vocational Agriculture Contest—All Day

April 16, Saturday
Agriculture Contest
Track Meet

April 18, Monday
End of Vacation—1 p. m.
W. A. A.—7:00-9:00—Room 113
Assembly—F. Kluckhorn on Latin America—2:00

Kappa Omicron Phi and Home Economics Club—Room 309—7:00

April 19, Tuesday
Alpha Phi Omega—Room 120—7:00-8:30
Newman Club—Room 207—7:30-10:00
Agriculture Club—Room 222—7:15-9:15

April 20, Wednesday
Phi Sigma Epsilon—Rooms 120-121—7:00
Delta Sigma Epsilon—Room 101—7:00-9:00
Sigma Tau Gamma—Den—7:00-9:00

April 21, Thursday
Parents Night—Horace Mann—7:00-11:00
S. C. A.—Den—7:30-9:30
Swimming Club—Pool—7:00-8:30

April 23, Saturday
Phi Sig Spring Formal—Country Club

April 25, Monday
W. A. A.—Room 113—7:00-9:00
Senior Day

April 26, Tuesday
Alpha Phi Omega—Room 120—7:00-8:30
Short Course Begins

April 27, Wednesday
Phi Sigma Epsilon—Rooms 120-121—7:00
Delta Sigma Epsilon—Room 101—7:00-9:00
Sigma Tau Gamma—Den—7:00-9:00

Foreign Students—Room 103—7:00
Independent Club—Room 205—7:00-9:00
Red Cross Blood Bank—All Day

Thursday, April 28
Alpha Psi Omega—Room 103—7:00-9:00
Taming of the Shrew—Auditorium—8:00

Swimming Club—Pool—7:00-8:30
Friday, April 29
Taming of the Shrew—Auditorium—8:00
Saturday, April 30
Delta Sig Spring party—Country Club—9:00-1:00
W. A. A.—Play Day—All Day
Track Meet—All Day

Beware! Crossing!

So you think your only worry while on the campus is what the history prof will ask in his next test, do you? Or maybe you think you're a little saint being watched over by the heavens all through the day! Regardless of what you think you had better watch where you are going, or you won't have to worry about the test and you might be disappointed in the heavens.

At any rate, many students believe that driving and walking conditions on the campus are hazardous.

Avoid the Curves! According to George Martin, a freshman from Princeton who is majoring in industrial arts, you should be careful if you are ever inclined to walk across the street in front of the library. In his opinion that is the most dangerous place on the campus. A curve there makes vision "blinding."

At first, Lois Long, a pre-journalism major from Bethany, replied a flat "No" to the question, "Do you think people obey stop and slow signs on the campus?" Then she had another thought. "Either they don't do any good, or else people can't read." The latter clause is rather gruesome.

Virginia France, Oregon student majoring in primary education, maintains that better streets would cause drivers to increase their speed. However, Robert Frazier of Malvern, Iowa, sees a definite need of improvement in the campus roads.

New Signs Help

There are complimentary comments on the traffic situation. Bill Gram, Maryville, states that the "SLOW, PEDESTRIAN CROSSING" signs have made him more aware of the crossings, and he believes they are an asset. Jack Price, Maryville, says he hasn't noticed many speeders on College streets.

One may conclude that some of the College students see the need for more precaution. The administration has already voiced its opinion to the same effect. It might be well to remember that "The minute you save by carelessness may be your last!"

Administrators Attend Meeting
President J. W. Jones and Dean M. C. Cunningham will attend an educational conference, April 18, at Jefferson City.



Officers of the three campus sororities, recently elected for the coming year, are pictured above. Officers of Alpha Sigma Alpha are, back row, left to right: Joanne Wright, reporter; Jane Bovard, Pan Hellenic representative; Pat Smith, rush captain; Betty Lawrence, keeper of the



grades; Marilyn House, registrar. Front row, Martha Clymens, treasurer; Kathryn Espey, vice president; Pauline Cramer, president; and Madge Studley, secretary. Sigma Sigma Sigma officers are, left to right, Ruth McDowell, vice-



president; Jean George, corresponding secretary; Helen Fisher, president; Lois McDermott, recording secretary; Betty Davis, treasurer; and Margaret Berry, keeper of the grades. Officers of Delta Sigma Epsilon are, back row, left to right, Kathleen

Headrick, sergeant at arms; Mary Booth, historian; Kathryn Barmann, alumnae secretary; Phyllis Lash, editor. Front row, Phyllis Bender, corresponding secretary; Lois Walker, vice president; Ruth Holbrook, president; Joan Groom, recording secretary; and Joyce King, treasurer.

Greek Dance Is First of Spring Formals

Of the many spring formals held this year was the All Dance held in the main gymnasium, March 26. In keeping with the Greek theme, soft white spot-outlined ivy encircled white paper columns around the bandstand.

Patrons were Dr. and Mrs. Harr, Mr. and Mrs. John S. T. and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. T. President and Mrs. J. W. Miss Martha Locke, Mr. Lon and Mr. Paxton P. Price among those present.

Tebow and the Collegians music for the many guests. The intermission songs were by Polly Cramer and Stewart S. A tap dance was given by the Swan.

Committee chairmen were Mack program; Marty Doran and Osburn, refreshments; Betty Ruth, Holbrook, and Joan decorations, with original Gideon Jones; Joyce Heck, programs; and Bob Mann, ticket sales.

Arthur and Dale Standage co-chairmen of the entire pro-

Alpha Sig Sorority Entertains President

Reception Includes Dinner, Conferences, and Late Evening Party.

Phi Phi chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha entertained their national president, Mrs. Wilma Wilson Sharp, on the campus last week.

Mrs. Sharp arrived Tuesday, April 5. During her stay her time was entirely consumed with sorority activities. Tuesday night she was honored at a formal dinner given by the active and alumnae chapters at the Country Club at seven o'clock.

Mrs. Sharp, in stirring words, spoke of the present Alpha Sigma Alpha. Phi Phi past history was discussed by Mrs. Sarah Espey Fisher; Joanne Masters spoke of the future of the sorority.

Patronesses present were Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs. Clun Price, Mrs. Albert Kuchs, Mrs. Charles Bell, Mrs. Ernest Pugh, president of the alumnae chapter, presided at the meeting.

Alphas Have Initiation

Wednesday morning and afternoon, conferences were held with the outgoing officers. At five-thirty that evening, a dinner was held at Residence Hall for the entire chapter. After dinner, they went to the chapter room for an initiation ceremony and regular business meeting.

At ten-thirty, Mrs. Sharp was the chapter's guest at a "Cocktail" party held in the Residence Hall lounge. This was an informal hour during which refreshments of cokes and potato chips were served.

Mrs. Sharp Meets Officers

All day Thursday Mrs. Sharp held conferences with the newly elected officers, offering suggestions and information concerning their new duties.

After such a full three days, Mrs. Sharp considered her objective, that of meeting and getting to know the members of Alpha Sigma Alpha, successfully completed.

Sigma Tau Gamma Frat Initiates New Members

Eleven pledges of Sigma Tau Gamma, campus fraternity, were formally initiated into active membership of Theta chapter, Sunday, April 3, in the Bearcat Den.

After twelve long weeks of pledge duties, shoe polishing, walking guard at the east door of the Administration building, and "Hell Week," they finished their term of pledgeship. Friday night, April 1, activities and pledges met at the Country Club for a stag party. Sunday morning, April 3, all members attended services at Saint Paul's Episcopal church in a body.

New active members are George Haws and Elvin Teachout, Shenandoah, Iowa; Phil Ranek and Bill Terry, Lenox, Iowa; Sterling Jackson, Plattsburg; Dick Frans, St. Joseph; Don and Duane Willis, Maryville; Kenneth Reynolds, Rock Port; Bud Lemmon, Savannah; and Melvin Coleman, Cameron.

Mr. F. B. Houghton Judges Spring Contests

Mr. F. B. Houghton, instructor in agriculture, was an assistant judge at the Future Farmers of America sub-district contest held at Bethany, Wednesday, April 6.

Vocational agriculture students participated in orations, radio skits, and parliamentary procedure events, which were eliminations for the district F. F. A. meet which will be held at Maryville, April 15 and 16.

Dance Club Will Give Spring Recital, May 5

Dance Club members are holding rehearsals each evening. Twenty-four girls will perform in the annual spring recital to be presented the evening of May 5 in the College auditorium.

Many bright colorful costumes are being planned to add to the gaiety of the occasion. The program will be composed of many modern dances, including Negro Spirituals, Weather Moods, Cowboy and Rhapsody in Blue.

Elaine Anderson and Katie Belcher are the choreographers of Weather Moods and April Showers. Miss Mary Marie Schulte is the accompanist for the Dance Club.

Tri Sigs Have Formal Dance at Country Club

Members and pledges of Sigma Sigma Sigma and their guests spent a gala evening at the second spring formal of the season, April 9, at the Country Club.

Distinctive crepe paper decorations and a huge white rabbit hitched to a cart which contained the favors, emphasized the Easter theme.

Those who stood in the receiving line were Helen Fisher, new president of the sorority, Ruth McDowell, and Betty Davis, also new officers.

Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ringold, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gee, and Mr. Paxton P. Price.

Bob Tebow and the Collegians played for the dancers throughout the evening.

Co-chairmen of the dance were Phyllis Crawford and Julie Polton. Decoration committee members were Helen Richardson, Beverly Pile, Vee Oyerly, Joyce Wehrli, Jean George, and Peggy Ford. Joyce Smith, Lois Waits and Ruth McDowell were on the refreshment committee. Janet Andler was in charge of favors and programs.

Sorority Will Celebrate Fifty-First Anniversary

April 20, the fifty-first anniversary of Sigma Sigma Sigma will be celebrated with a formal dinner at the Maryville Country Club.

Among the speakers on the program will be Joan Miller, toastmistress, Mrs. Geraldine Barrett, president of the alumnae chapter, Sarabel Davis, Peggy Ford, Joyce Smith, Betty Williams, Irma Jensen and Miss June Cozine, faculty adviser.

Mrs. Robert P. Foster, Mrs. M. C. Cunningham, Mrs. Forrest T. Gillam, and Mrs. J. Norvel Saylor, patronesses, will be guests.

Wanda Praiswater, chairman of the affair, will be assisted by Irma Jensen, Shirley Collier, Helen Joyce Moore, and Marjorie Andrews, who are planning the program. Place cards are being designed by Jeanne Hatfield, Jean George and Joyce Wehrli. Virginia Snowberger, Marianne Swanson, Marilyn Alexander and Betty Williams are in charge of decorations. The invitations committee is composed of Sharlis Marple, Kathleen Jennings, and Mary Merea Fink, Peggy Ford and Lavonne Wescott are planning the refreshments.

Alpha Psi Omega Elects Officers for New Year

Alpha Psi Omega, national honorary speech fraternity, elected officers for the coming year at a special meeting, March 23.

Installation of the officers was held at the regular meeting, Thursday night, March 30. The following were installed: Betty Hudson, president; Betty Williams, vice president; Manley Vance, secretary-treasurer; Joseph Roach, historian.

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Senators Are Concerned With Welfare of Students

Revision of the Student Handbook, redecoration of the lounge, and the promotion of a campus safety program are some of the major activities of the Student Senate in their endeavors to accomplish their main purpose—to work for the welfare of the student body as a whole and to forget organizational differences through class representation.

In the spring, the revised Student Handbook containing the rules and regulations for student organizations is expected to be ready.

Careful Driving Is Desired

Safety signs have already been posted at strategic spots around the campus. Drivers are asked to drive slowly and carefully. Reckless drivers are reported to the Senate. Thus an effort is being made to regulate traffic through the work of the students themselves. The painting and redecoration of the lounge has also been an important contribution.

Last summer, in the belief that students should have more social life, the Senate sponsored a Summer Jamboree. It was a student and faculty all-school affair. It began in the afternoon with a ball game, continued in the evening with a picnic in College Park, and ended with a dance that night on the tennis courts. The Jamboree may be made an annual affair. Since most of the organizations are inactive in the summer months, this plan would help to provide for the social welfare of the many students who attend summer school.

Plan for Clean-Up Day

Plans have been made for a spring Campus Clean-Up Day. Students, faculty members, and members of the administration will wear old clothes and will police the entire campus according to the present plans of the Senate.

Other projects have been proposed for the Senate. One proposal made by the Senior Class is that a canopy be placed from the east door of the Administration building to the street, the purpose of the canopy being to protect people from the rain and snow in bad weather as they go to their cars or taxis at the curb.

Alpha Phi Men Build Vet Village Playground

Members of Alpha Phi Omega, service fraternity, are constructing a playground for the children of Vet Village.

Although planned mainly for the summer months, the playground will be a safe place for the children to play throughout the year.

At present the playground will have swings, a sand box and teeter-totter. Other equipment will be added at a later date.

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Polly Cramer Is New Alpha Sigma President

Polly Cramer was installed Wednesday night, March 17, as president of Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority for the coming year.

The formal installation ceremony took place at the regular meeting when Pat Smith was hostess at the home of her parents. Candlelight and soft music added to the impressive scene when each girl took her oath of office.

Other officers installed were Kathryn Espey, Maryville, vice president; Madge Studley, Waverly, Iowa, secretary; Martha Clymens, Maryville, treasurer; Betty Lou Lawrence, Stanberry, chaplain; Marilyn House, Allendale, registrar; Pat Smith, Maryville, rush captain; Joanne Wright, Maryville, reporter; Jane Bovard, Maryville, Pan-Hellenic representative; and Doris McGinness, Maryville, keeper of the grades.

Phi Phi chapter, as yet, has set no definite aims for next year, but does hope to maintain the high standards established for them in previous years.

Mr. John Smay Judges Four Music Contests

Mr. Smay judged the Iowa music contest held at Montezuma, Iowa, March 12; a band music festival at Hamilton, March 14; and a similar festival in Gallatin, March 25.

March 11 Mr. Smay heard and criticized the instrumental events in Shenandoah, Iowa. He accompanied Mr. Everett Brown, head of the field service, to assist in setting up the music branch of the contests to be held there.

M Club Members Elect Officers for Next Year

Norman James, Albany, has been elected president of the M Club, succeeding Bill Gamble. Pete Younger, vice president, succeeds Maury Geist, Atlantic, Iowa. Larry Zirbel was replaced as secretary-treasurer by Ken Jones.

Wilbur Pollard, Princeton, was elected corresponding secretary. James Tanner, Jacksonville, Florida, was elected publicity chairman, and Max Hochenaur of St. Joseph was elected sergeant at arms.

Plans were also made for the annual spring picnic.

Training Students Organize New Club

Miss Margaret Franken Is Mathematics Adviser, Horace Mann.

Recently a group of students who plan to teach in the fields of mathematics and science organized for the purpose of giving additional study to problems of special interest to them.

Members are Verlin Tompkins, chairman; Robert Birbeck, secretary; Doran Bowen, William O. Miller, Roy Lilley, Frank Thompson, Irwin Thomas, Foster Baker, James Arbogast, Elmer Myer, and Richard Owens. Miss Margaret Franken, supervisor of the Horace Mann mathematics department, is their adviser.

Most of these students are working in the laboratory school or have completed this phase of training. Admission to the group is open to any College student who expects to do practice teaching in these two departments at Horace Mann and who has an active interest in such problems as text book selection, construction and care of laboratory equipment, and special techniques, methods and experiments related to mathematics and science instruction.

Work will be divided so that these and other more general problems of teaching in these special fields can be given particular study from a practical point of view.

At the first meeting on March 30, Mr. F. L. Skaff, superintendent of the Maryville public schools, discussed the problem of "Getting That First Job."

Social Science Class Visits State Capitol

Mr. Myron Rose, of the social science department, and a group of students made a trip recently to the state capitol where they saw the state government in operation. Students making the trip were Wilbur Pollard, Donald Donahue, W. T. Dawson, Robert Cobb, Gordon Bennett, Phillip Zapf, and Carl Deiter.

Mr. Bert Cooper, director of Business Administration of the State of Missouri who is on leave from the extension department of the College, invited the men to his office where he explained some new operations of the departments. He then escorted them to the Supreme Court building where they met the judges and learned about the operations of the judicial part of the state government.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Cox of Graham announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Vernelle, and William Ward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Ward, of Maryville. The wedding will take place in June.

Vernelle graduated from Graham high school, attended Gard's business school in St. Joseph, and is now a junior physical education major at the College. She is a member of Alpha Sigma Alpha, Dance Club, Green and White Peppers, W. A. A. and treasurer of Residence Hall Council. Bill graduated from Maryville high school, served with the Marines before he attended the College, and is now working with his father in the Paul Ward Appliance store.

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Bearcat Tracksters Receive Top Honor

Maryville Team Wins Over Competitors During Conference.

Bearcat tracksters came through with flying colors on Saturday, March 26, when they took top honors in the M. I. A. A. Conference at the University of Missouri in Columbia.

Maryville dethroned defending champion Rolla by rolling up 49 1-3 points to the Miner's 40. Southeast Missouri Teachers scored 35, the Southwest Missouri Teachers 31 1/2, the Central Teachers 15 2-3, and Northeast Missouri Teachers 8 1/2.

Bearcats Lead in 60 Yard Dash
In the 60 yard dash, the Northwest Missourians gathered 12 points to boost them into the blue ribbon bracket. They were never headed after Don Nell, Pat Zuchowski and Phil Carter finished 1-2-3 respectively in that event.

Dick Corse of Cape Girardeau, with firsts in the half-mile and the mile, was the only double winner, and the high individual scorer, with 10 points. Mick Anderson of Maryville and Gene Nazworthy of Warrensburg, each collected 9; Bill Burnham, Maryville, 8; Don Smith, Rolla, 7; and Bill Glazier, Springfield, 6. Anderson of the Bearcat squad won by a first in the two mile run and second spot in the mile.

Rolla Establishes New Record
There was only one new record, the 45 feet 5 1/2 inches, which George Bock of Rolla registered in the shot put.

Broad Jump—Perino, Rolla, 21 feet 5 inches. Green, Springfield; Coffey, Cape Girardeau; Carter, Warrensburg; McEwen, Cape Girardeau.

880 yard run—Corse, Cape Girardeau; Ren, Springfield; Turner, Rolla; Hampton, Cape Girardeau; Milligan, Springfield. Time, 2:02.8.

60-yard low hurdles—Burnham, Maryville; Nazworthy, Warrensburg; Allen, Maryville; James, Maryville; McClellan, Springfield. Time, 1:07.8.

Pole vault—Voiles, Rolla, 12 feet; Toib, Cape Girardeau; and Appleman, Maryville, tied for second; Sparks, Kirksville; Bullinger, Maryville; Stiegemeyer, Warrensburg; and Highfall, Warrensburg, tied for fifth.

Mile relay—Rolla, (Rausch, Young, Bayless, Springfield, 5 feet, 11 5/8 in; Maryville, Springfield, Warrensburg, 5:43.9).

60-yard high hurdles—Nazworthy, Warrensburg; Corbin, Rolla; Burnham, Maryville, third; Schulhardt, Rolla, fourth; Poole, Cape Girardeau, fifth. Time, 1:08.2.

High jump—Coffey, Cape Girardeau, 6 feet, 5/8 inches; Walker, Rolla, and Bayless, Springfield, 5 feet, 11 1/2 inches, tied for second; Middleton, Warrensburg, tied for fifth.

Two mile run—Anderson, Maryville; Smith, Rolla. Time 10:13.7. Springfield; Smith, Cape Girardeau; Anderson, Maryville; Smith, Rolla; Lackland, Kirksville; Phillips, Springfield. Time, 4:37.7.

60-yard dash—Nell, Maryville; Zuchowski, Maryville; Carter, Maryville; Powers, Springfield; Glazier, Springfield. Time, 1:06.5.

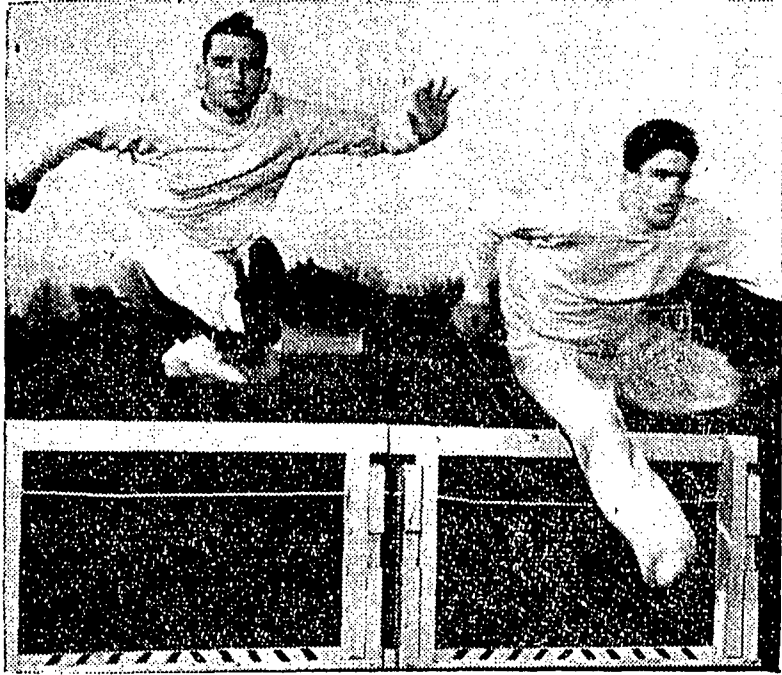
Shot put—Bock, Rolla; Warmley, Maryville; McDaniel, Cape Girardeau; Davis, Springfield; Daley, Maryville. 45 feet, 5 1/2 inches. (New record, former record, 44 feet, 10 7/8 inches).

440-yard dash—Glazier, Springfield; Harwood, Rolla; Allen, Cape Girardeau; James, Maryville; and Loran, Warrensburg. 5:44.0.

Ten Go to Pittsburg
Ten members of the faculty will attend the Regional Conference of the North Central Association Workshop at Pittsburg, Kansas, Friday, April 22, and Saturday, April 23. Those who plan to attend are President J. W. Jones, Dean M. C. Cunningham, Dr. Clifford Bishop, Miss Wincie Ann Carruth, Dr. John Harr, Dr. Irene Mueller, Miss Mabel Cook, Mrs. Helen Gee, Dr. Frank Grube, and Mr. Buford Garner.

Jim Corken Visits Campus
Jim Corken, Class of '46, was at the College Monday, March 27, on business. He is assistant coach at Atlantic, Iowa, having been there since the start of the '47 school year.

First Year Men Place in Hurdles



Fred James, Albany, left, and Bill Burnham, St. Joseph, placed in the hurdle events at the M. I. A. A. indoor meet. This marked the first time in three years that anyone from the College had accomplished such a feat. Burnham won the low hurdles and placed second in the highs for a total of nine points. James placed fourth in the lows.

To the Pool!

The swimming pool will be open for swimming on Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday evenings from 4:00 to 5:30.

Maryville Instructors Attend Water Pageant

Miss Bonnie Magill and Miss Jessie B. Jutten, both of the physical education department, went Saturday, March 26, to Ottumwa, Iowa, where they attended a swimming pageant given by the Shark Club of the Ottumwa High School. This club is sponsored by Vida Bernau, Class of '42, an instructor in physical education.

En route they stopped at Centerville, where they had lunch with Meredee Myers, Class of '48, a physical education instructor in the high school there.

Mary Booth, Sarabel Davis, and Marjorie McGee accompanied Miss Magill and Miss Jutten to Ottumwa, where they visited in their respective homes.

Home Economics Women Study City Opportunities

Miss Mabel Cook, of the home economics department, accompanied by Willa Breckenridge, Shirley Collier and Peggy Ford, went to Kansas City, March 25.

While there they toured cafeterias, textile mills, and studied the various opportunities open to women interested in home economics in the business world. They were the guests of members of the Home Economics in Business organization.

Mrs. W. W. Cook Visits Friends at Alma Mater

Mrs. W. W. Cook, the former Miss Helen Kramer, Class of '36, was a visitor on the campus Thursday afternoon, March 31. She attended a meeting of a feature writing group, sponsored by Miss Mattie M. Dykes, of the English department.

Mr. Cook, formerly a member of the College commerce department, is now teaching at the Kansas State College, Manhattan, Kansas.

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Random Shots . . .

The Bearcats have a much improved track team. Evidence of this is proved by the fact that the team had men place in the distance events and the hurdles, Mick Anderson won the two mile event and placed in the mile; Bill Burnham won the low hurdles and placed in the highs. This is the first time the team has placed in these events in recent years.

Al Henningsen was placed on the second all M. I. A. A. team for the 1948-49 basketball season. Springfield dominated the first team selections.

Maury Geist proved himself by taking the badminton singles tournament. Maury went through the tourney quite easily, losing only one game.

The football coaches of the M. I. A. A. conference will do well to stock up heavily on aspirin tablets for next season; instead of having to contend with just Marv Weed, crushing fullback, they'll also have to meet his brother.

Football fans should not be surprised to see a new type of defense next year—a two man line with nine men backing it up just in case a ball carrier happens to slip by the Weed brothers.

NOTICE!

Spring football practice will be held for candidates for the center, end and quarterback positions. Beginning practice will be announced within the next few days.

Coach Ryland Milner.

Air Force Captains Are Visitors

Air Force Captains G. H. Flew-ellen and R. R. Council were on the campus March 31 and April 1. They gave examinations to and accepted applications from students interested in pilot training.

Two Are First Year Men
Juniors are Gene Ceglenski, St. Joseph; Marvin Carmichael, Hopkins; Joe Sherman, St. Joseph; Jon Wohlford, Oregon; Alvin Wormsley, Excelsior Springs; and Pete Younger, Phippsburg, Colorado. All have earned two letters in the sport except Sherman and Carmichael, who are first year men.

Al Henningsen, captain of the team, Ken Jones and Whitey Meyers, all from Atlantic, Iowa, and James Tanner, Jacksonville, Florida, are the four sophomores. All are second year men except Meyers who transferred to the College as a sophomore.

Freshmen Have Two More
Charles Ramsey, Hopkins, and John Yurchak, Kansas City, are outstanding freshman prospects. They should prove their worth in the next campaign.

With twelve lettermen returning, a better than average season is expected. The team won 13 and lost 11 games in the last season.

Trees Will Be Planted Today
There will be an Arbor Day Celebration in Maryville this afternoon. The program will start at 2:30. Trees will be planted in the new park area in the east part of town.

Geers Have Son
A son, named Thomas Brook, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Truman Geer at home near Coffey March 3. Mr. and Mrs. Geer have two daughters, Mary Jean and Cora Ann.

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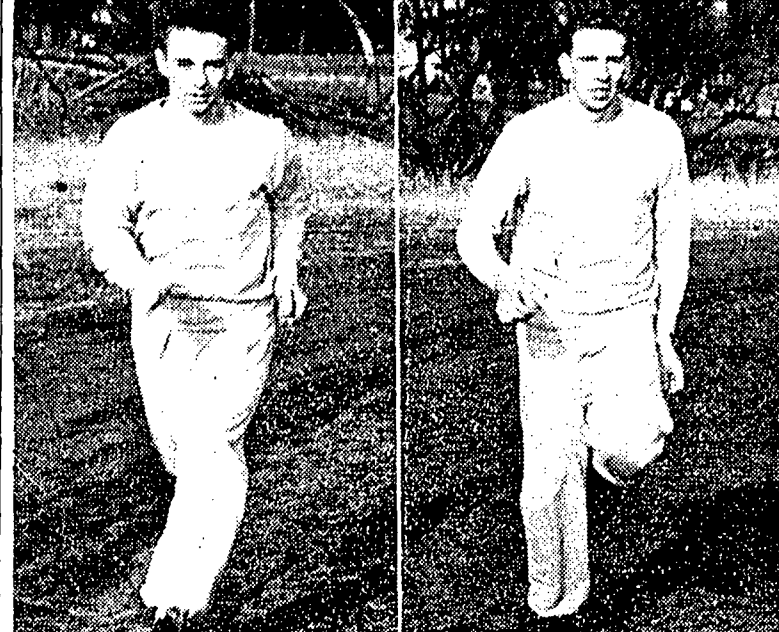
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Yearlings Win in Distance Events



Two more first year men on the track squad have come through where the squad was weak the last two seasons. Mick Anderson, Atlantic, Iowa, won the two mile event at the state meet and placed third in the mile. He gained eight points at the meet. Wayne Kinman, Clarinda, Iowa, ran in the quarter mile and on the mile relay team. The relay team placed fifth. Kinman is expected to come through in the quarter mile event.

Football Men Elect Three Co-Captains

Outstanding Seniors Are Chosen to Lead Mighty Bearcat Eleven.

The football squad elected three co-captains for the 1949 season. The three are Norman James of Albany; Don Hartness of Maryville, and Marvin Weed of Orient, Iowa. All are seniors.

Norman James, a halfback, was named to the All M. I. A. A. football team last year. James, who is very fleet of foot, scored a number of touchdowns last year on break-away runs, out distancing the secondary to score. He plays the safety position on defense.

Marvin Weed was also chosen on the M. I. A. A. all star team and

lost out in a close race of being chosen the back of the year for the Conference. Weed played the full-back spot. He is known for his hard play. He was also used at the end position on defense as well as in backing up the line.

Don Hartness, a 200 pound guard, has had honorable mention on the all star team the last two seasons. Hartness is a very aggressive line man and is a good blocker and tackler. He has also seen action from the tackle spot, a spot he may be used at next season.

Hartness and Weed are three year lettermen; James is a two-year letterman.

College Band Gives Concerts
Eleven concerts have been completed by the College band to date: College assembly program, Maryville high school, Guilford, Albany, Bethany, Plattsburg, Hamilton, Galatin, Cameron and Grant City.

Tournaments Bring Play Night Final

Tennis, Horseshoe, Golf Softball Are Featured in Spring Program.

In tournament badminton play Maurice Geist again dominated the singles, men's division, and emerged as the singles champion by defeating Norman James in the finals.

Geist teamed with Larry Zirbel in men's doubles. They reached the finals but were beaten in two very close games by Coaches Peters and Pederson.

Prindle Is Good
Don Prindle was the outstanding player in the ping pong singles. He defeated Don Pipes in the final game of the tournament by a very small margin.

In co-recreation ping pong, Nir Gilliland and Orville Adams teamed together to defeat Ruth Hobbes and Terry Noah in the final of the tournament.

Ten Teams Try
Stanton's Independents, the outstanding team through the recreational volleyball tournament, downed the Chris-Berry teams in the finals.

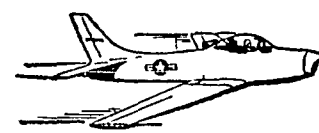
Ten softball teams have turned out seeking the intramural softball championship. Play will end with the close of school in a tournament at that time.

Men's golf, scotch golf, tennis and mixed tennis are now getting underway. Those wishing to play must enter. Picnic coolers will be available for those desiring them.

State Senators Include This College in Itinerary

A group of state senators visited the College Wednesday, April 6.

Senator J. W. Noble of Kenne chairman of senate appropriation committee, headed the group. Also in the group were Mr. Edward L. Bowling Green; Mr. John Hoshorn Savannah; and Mr. Hartwell Clayton. The visit is one of a series of group is making to state educational institutions for an inspection as to appropriation needs.



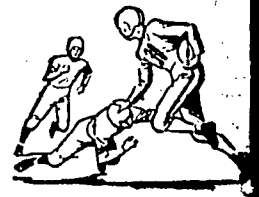
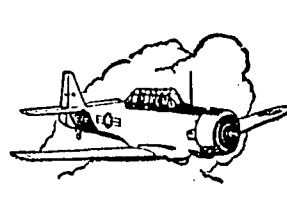
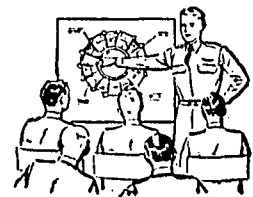
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